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Applicant: Sah, Adam D.  
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR HOSTING A NETWORK  
CAMERA WITH IMAGE DEGRADATION  
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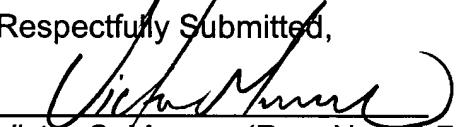
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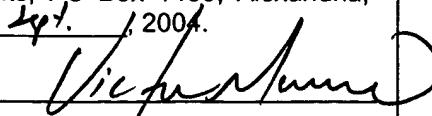
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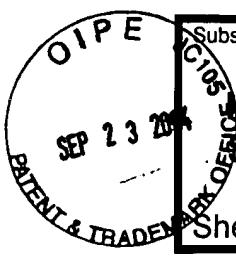
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